

## THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

*Guadalupe, Caldwell, Hays, Blanco, Llano, and San Saba counties, with the unorganized county of McCulloch; Hays the returning county.*—Leonidas Jefferson Storey, of Lockhart, Caldwell county, was born in Chattooga county, Georgia, October 6, 1834; moved to Mississippi, and from thence to Gonzales county, Texas, in 1845; in 1847, moved to Caldwell county, and settled in Lockhart, where he has since resided; educated mostly at private schools, but was a student at Austin College, Huntsville, Texas, in 1856, '57; studied law and began the practice of his profession at Lockhart in October, 1858; entered the Confederate service as Lieutenant in Company B, Twenty-sixth Texas Infantry, DeBray's Brigade, in September, 1861, and served until the close of the war; was a member of the House of Representatives in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Legislatures; and a member of the Judiciary Committee at both terms; elected to the Senate February 15, 1876, without opposition, and was a member of the Judiciary Committee in both the Fifteenth and the Sixteenth Legislatures. Senator Storey was elected as a Democrat, and is an active worker in that party. His term expires November, 1880.